

So I have very serious concerns about the danger posed in the Energy and Water portion of this bill. It cuts vital clean energy initiatives, even as gas prices surge because of the President's reckless policies. It attacks job-creating investments in transformational energy technologies and slashes funding for critical nuclear nonproliferation priorities.

In terms of the children of whom I spoke earlier, this GOP bill also includes unacceptable poison pill riders that permit deadly firearms to be carried on public land, assaults the clean water our children drink, encourages pollution of our oceans, and pushes our Nation's already endangered species toward extinction.

This bad bill is a first step in the Republicans' plan to choke off funding—and this is really the critical part of it for me—for vital Democratic priorities for America's families later in the appropriations process. It paves the way for their plan to starve key investments in health, education, and good-paying jobs for communities across the country.

Mr. Chairman, the Republicans are wasting everyone's time when we should be focused on meeting the urgent needs of the American people. The majority has spent this entire Congress stacking the deck for special interests, as they do in these poison pills in this bill, while undermining the interests of families.

The Democrats are focusing on what matters in the lives of the American people. We are committed to giving the American people A Better Deal: Better Jobs, Better Pay, Better Future; and for our children, not to promote air pollution, which is what this bill would do, but to eliminate it.

I urge my colleagues to join in voting "no" on this bill for our economy. You know what the sad part of it is: it is so close to doing a better job for the American people. The poison pills take it in a bad direction. The process under which it was put forth is harmful to other priorities that I know we share in a bipartisan way across the aisle.

Hopefully we can work more closely as we go forward in a bipartisan way. That is the tradition of the Appropriations Committee.

Mr. Chair, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Mr. Chair, I move to strike the last word.

The Acting CHAIR. The gentleman from New Jersey is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Mr. Chair, with all due respect to the minority leader, the process has been collaborative, Republicans and Democrats. These are the three bills that have historically received both Republican and Democratic support. They embody American values.

What could be more important than looking after our veterans and their families? Energy and water, infrastructure. We are enormously proud of the

work of both the chairs and ranking members. I urge Members, both Republicans and Democrats, to support these bills, as they historically have done, and look after the interests of the American people, especially those who serve in our military today and those who have paid the supreme sacrifice.

Mr. Chair, I yield back the balance of my time.

□ 1030

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Mr. Chairman, I move that the Committee do now rise.

The motion was agreed to.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. ZELDIN) having assumed the chair, Mr. BYRNE, Acting Chair of the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 5895) making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes, had come to no resolution thereon.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess for a period of less than 15 minutes.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 31 minutes a.m.), the House stood in recess.

□ 1045

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. BYRNE) at 10 o'clock and 45 minutes a.m.

ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2019

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 923 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill, H.R. 5895.

Will the gentleman from Iowa (Mr. YOUNG) kindly take the chair.

□ 1046

IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 5895) making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes, with Mr. YOUNG of Iowa (Acting Chair) in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The Acting CHAIR. When the Committee of the Whole rose earlier today, amendment No. 38 printed in part B of

House Report 115-712 offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. RATCLIFFE) had been disposed of.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR. Pursuant to clause 6 of rule XVIII, proceedings will now resume on those amendments printed in part B of House Report 115-712 on which further proceedings were postponed, in the following order:

Amendment No. 10 by Mr. GOHMERT of Texas.

Amendment No. 15 by Mr. MEADOWS of North Carolina.

Amendment No. 16 by Mr. TAKANO of California.

The Chair will reduce to 2 minutes the time for any electronic vote after the first vote in this series.

AMENDMENT NO. 10 OFFERED BY MR. GOHMERT

The Acting CHAIR (Mr. BYRNE). The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. GOHMERT) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 212, noes 201, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 253]

AYES—212

Abraham	Denham	Hultgren
Aderholt	DeSantis	Hunter
Allen	DesJarlais	Hurd
Amash	Donovan	Issa
Arrington	Duffy	Jenkins (KS)
Babin	Duncan (SC)	Jenkins (WV)
Bacon	Duncan (TN)	Johnson (LA)
Banks (IN)	Dunn	Johnson (OH)
Barletta	Emmer	Johnson, Sam
Barr	Estes (KS)	Jones
Barton	Ferguson	Jordan
Biggs	Fleischmann	Joyce (OH)
Bilirakis	Flores	Katko
Bishop (MI)	Fortenberry	Kelly (MS)
Bishop (UT)	Fox	Kelly (PA)
Black	Frelinghuysen	King (IA)
Blackburn	Gaetz	King (NY)
Blum	Gallagher	Kinzinger
Bost	Garrett	Knight
Brat	Gianforte	Kustoff (TN)
Brooks (AL)	Gibbs	Labrador
Brooks (IN)	Gohmert	LaHood
Buchanan	Gonzalez (TX)	LaMalfa
Buck	Goodlatte	Lamborn
Bucshon	Gosar	Latta
Budd	Gowdy	Lesko
Burgess	Granger	Lewis (MN)
Byrne	Graves (GA)	LoBiondo
Calvert	Graves (LA)	Long
Carter (GA)	Graves (MO)	Loudermilk
Carter (TX)	Griffith	Love
Chabot	Grothman	Lucas
Cole	Guthrie	Luetkemeyer
Collins (GA)	Handel	MacArthur
Collins (NY)	Harper	Marchant
Comer	Harris	Marino
Comstock	Hartzler	Marshall
Conaway	Hensarling	Massie
Cook	Herrera Beutler	McCarthy
Cramer	Hice, Jody B.	McCaul
Crawford	Higgins (LA)	McClintock
Cuellar	Hill	McHenry
Culberson	Holding	McKinley
Curtis	Hollingsworth	McMorris
Davidson	Hudson	Rodgers
Davis, Rodney	Huizenga	McSally

Meadows
Messer
Mitchell
Moonenaar
Mooney (WV)
Mullin
Newhouse
Norman
Nunes
Olson
Palmer
Pearce
Perry
Pittenger
Poe (TX)
Poliquin
Posey
Ratcliffe
Reed
Reichert
Renacci
Roby
Roe (TN)
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rohrabacher

Rokita
Rooney, Thomas J.
Ross
Rothfus
Rouzer
Russell
Rutherford
Sanford
Scalise
Schweikert
Scott, Austin
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shimkus
Simpson
Smith (MO)
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smucker
Stewart
Stivers
Taylor
Tenney
Thompson (PA)

Thornberry
Tipton
Turner
Upton
Valadao
Wagner
Walberg
Walden
Walker
Walorski
Weber (TX)
Webster (FL)
Wenstrup
Westerman
Williams
Wilson (SC)
Wittman
Womack
Woodall
Yoder
Yoho
Young (AK)
Young (IA)
Zeldin

NOES—201

Adams
Aguilar
Amodei
Barragán
Bass
Bera
Bergman
Beyer
Bishop (GA)
Blumenauer
Blunt Rochester
Bonamici
Boyle, Brendan F.
Brady (PA)
Brown (MD)
Brownley (CA)
Bustos
Butterfield
Capuano
Carbajal
Cárdenas
Carson (IN)
Cartwright
Castor (FL)
Khanna
Castro (TX)
Kihuen
Chu, Judy
Cicilline
Clark (MA)
Clarke (NY)
Clay
Clever
Clyburn
Coffman
Cohen
Connolly
Cooper
Correa
Costa
Courtney
Crist
Crowley
Cummings
Curbelo (FL)
Davis (CA)
Davis, Danny
DeFazio
DeGette
Delaney
DeLauro
DelBene
Demings
DeSaulnier
Deutch
Dingell
Doggett
Doyle, Michael F.
Ellison
Engel
Eshoo
Espallat
Esty (CT)
Evans
Faso
Fitzpatrick
Foster
Frankel (FL)
Fudge

Gabbard
Gallego
Garamendi
Gomez
Gottheimer
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutiérrez
Hanabusa
Hastings
Heck
Higgins (NY)
Himes
Hoyer
Huffman
Jackson Lee
Jayapal
Jeffries
Johnson (GA)
Johnson, E. B.
Kaptur
Keating
Kelly (IL)
Khanna
Kihuen
Kildee
Kilmer
Kind
Krishnamoorthi
Kuster (NH)
Lamb
Lance
Langevin
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Lawrence
Lawson (FL)
Lee
Levin
Lewis (GA)
Lieu, Ted
Lipinski
Loeb sack
Lofgren
Lowenthal
Lowe
Lujan Grisham, M.
Luján, Ben Ray
Lynch
Maloney,
Carolyn B.
Maloney, Sean
Mast
Matsui
McCollum
McEachin
McGovern
McNerney
Meeks
Meng
Moore
Moulton
Murphy (FL)
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal
Nolan

Norcross
O'Halloran
O'Rourke
Pallone
Pallone
Pascarella
Paulsen
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peters
Peterson
Pingree
Pocan
Price (NC)
Quigley
Raskin
Rice (NY)
Rice (SC)
Richmond
Rooney, Francis
Ros-Lehtinen
Rosen
Roskam
Roybal-Allard
Ruiz
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Sánchez
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schneider
Schrader
Scott (VA)
Scott, David
Serrano
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Sinema
Sires
Smith (WA)
Soto
Speier
Stefanik
Suozi
Swalwell (CA)
Takano
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Titus
Tonko
Torres
Trott
Vargas
Veasey
Vela
Velázquez
Visclosky
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters, Maxine
Watson Coleman
Welch
Wilson (FL)
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—14

Beatty
Brady (TX)
Cheney
Costello (PA)
Diaz-Balart

Kennedy
Noem
Palazzo
Polis
Sewell (AL)

Shuster
Tsongas
Walters, Mimi
Walz

□ 1110

Mr. RICE of South Carolina changed his vote from “aye” to “no.”

Messrs. WOMACK, SANFORD, CRAMER, BACON, and HILL changed their vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the amendment was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 15 OFFERED BY MR. MEADOWS

The Acting CHAIR. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from North Carolina (Mr. MEADOWS) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The Acting CHAIR. This is a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 207, noes 201, not voting 19, as follows:

[Roll No. 254]

AYES—207

Abraham
Aderholt
Allen
Amash
Amodei
Arrington
Babin
Bacon
Barletta
Barr
Bergman
Biggs
Bilirakis
Bishop (MI)
Bishop (UT)
Black
Blackburn
Blum
Bost
Brat
Brooks (AL)
Buchanan
Buck
Bucshon
Budd
Burgess
Byrne
Calvert
Carter (GA)
Carter (TX)
Chabot
Coffman
Cole
Collins (GA)
Collins (NY)
Comer
Comstock
Conaway
Cook
Costa
Cramer
Crawford
Culberson
Curtis
Davidson
Davis, Rodney
Denham
DeSantis
DesJarlais

Diaz-Balart
Donovan
Duffy
Duncan (SC)
Duncan (TN)
Dunn
Emmer
Estes (KS)
Faso
Ferguson
Fleischmann
Flores
Fortenberry
Foxy
Frelinghuysen
Gaetz
Gallagher
Garrett
Gianforte
Gibbs
Gohmert
Goodlatte
Gove
Gowdy
Granger
Graves (GA)
Graves (LA)
Graves (MO)
Green, Gene
Griffith
Grothman
Guthrie
McHenry
McKinley
McMorris
Rodgers
McNerney
Hice, Jody B.
Higgins (LA)
Hill
Holding
Hudson
Huizenga
Hultgren
Hunter
Issa
Jenkins (KS)
Jenkins (WV)
Johnson (LA)

Johnson (OH)
Johnson, Sam
Jones
Jordan
Joyce (OH)
Kelly (MS)
Kelly (PA)
King (IA)
King (NY)
Knight
Kustoff (TN)
Labrador
LaHood
LaMalfa
Lamborn
Latta
Lesko
Lewis (MN)
Lieu, Ted
LoBiondo
Long
Loudermilk
Love
Lucas
Luetkemeyer
Marchant
Marshall
Massie
Mast
McCarthy
McCaul
McClintock
McHenry
McKinley
McMorris
Rodgers
McNerney
McSally
Meadows
Messer
Mitchell
Moonenaar
Mooney (WV)
Mullin
Newhouse
Norman
Nunes
Olson
Palmer

Pearce
Perry
Pittenger
Poe (TX)
Posey
Ratcliffe
Renacci
Rice (SC)
Roby
Roe (TN)
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rohrabacher
Rokita
Rooney, Francis
Rooney, Thomas J.
Ross
Rothfus
Rouzer
Royce (CA)

Russell
Rutherford
Sanford
Scalise
Scott, Austin
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shimkus
Simpson
Sinema
Smith (MO)
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smucker
Stewart
Stivers
Taylor
Tenney
Thornberry
Tipton

NOES—201

Adams
Aguilar
Banks (IN)
Barragán
Bass
Bera
Beyer
Bishop (GA)
Blumenauer
Blunt Rochester
Bonamici
Boyle, Brendan F.
Brady (PA)
Brooks (IN)
Brown (MD)
Brownley (CA)
Bustos
Butterfield
Capuano
Carbajal
Cárdenas
Carson (IN)
Cartwright
Castor (FL)
Castro (TX)
Chu, Judy
Cicilline
Clark (MA)
Clarke (NY)
Clay
Clever
Clyburn
Cohen
Connolly
Cooper
Correa
Courtney
Crist
Crowley
Cuellar
Cummings
Curbelo (FL)
Davis (CA)
Davis, Danny
DeFazio
DeGette
Delaney
DeLauro
DelBene
Demings
DeSaulnier
Deutch
Dingell
Doggett
Doyle, Michael F.
Ellison
Engel
Eshoo
Espallat
Esty (CT)
Evans
Faso
Fitzpatrick
Foster
Frankel (FL)
Fudge
Gabbard
Gallego

Garamendi
Gomez
Gonzalez (TX)
Gottheimer
Green, Al
Grijalva
Hanabusa
Handel
Hastings
Heck
Higgins (NY)
Himes
Hollingsworth
Hoyer
Hurd
Jackson Lee
Jayapal
Jeffries
Johnson (GA)
Johnson, E. B.
Kaptur
Katko
Keating
Kelly (IL)
Khanna
Kihuen
Kildeer
Kilmer
Kind
Kinzinger
Krishnamoorthi
Kuster (NH)
Lamb
Lance
Langevin
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Lawrence
Lawson (FL)
Lee
Levin
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Loeb sack
Lofgren
Lowenthal
Lowe
Lujan Grisham, M.
Luján, Ben Ray
Lynch
MacArthur
Maloney,
Carolyn B.
Maloney, Sean
Marino
Matsui
McCollum
McEachin
McGovern
Meeks
Meng
Moore
Moulton
Murphy (FL)
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal
Nolan

Norcross
O'Rourke
Pallone
Panetta
Pascarella
Paulsen
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peters
Peterson
Pingree
Pocan
Poliquin
Price (NC)
Quigley
Raskin
Reichert
Rice (NY)
Richmond
Ros-Lehtinen
Rosen
Roskam
Roybal-Allard
Ruiz
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Sánchez
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schneider
Schrader
Schweikert
Scott (VA)
Scott, David
Serrano
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Sires
Smith (WA)
Soto
Speier
Stefanik
Suozi
Swalwell (CA)
Takano
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thompson (PA)
Titus
Tonko
Torres
Upton
Vargas
Veasey
Vela
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walorski
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters, Maxine
Watson Coleman
Welch
Wilson (FL)
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—19

Barton
Beatty
Brady (TX)
Cheney
Costello (PA)

Gutiérrez
Huffman
Kennedy
Noem
O'Halloran

Palazzo
Polis
Reed

Sewell (AL) Tsongas Walz
Shuster Walters, Mimi Woodall

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR (during the vote).
There is 1 minute remaining.

□ 1115

Mr. KUSTOFF of Tennessee changed his vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the amendment was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. REED. Mr. Chair, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall No. 254.

Stated against:

Mr. MCNERNEY. Mr. Chair, during rollcall vote No. 254 on H.R. 5895, I mistakenly recorded my vote as “yea” when I should have voted “nay.”

AMENDMENT NO. 16 OFFERED BY MR. TAKANO

The Acting CHAIR. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. TAKANO) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The Acting CHAIR. This is a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 195, noes 217, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 255]

AYES—195

Adams	Cummings	Hultgren
Aguilar	Curbelo (FL)	Jackson Lee
Amash	Davis (CA)	Jayapal
Barragán	Davis, Danny	Jeffries
Bass	DeFazio	Johnson (GA)
Bera	DeGette	Johnson, E. B.
Beyer	Delaney	Kaptur
Bishop (GA)	DeLauro	Keating
Blumenauer	DelBene	Kelly (IL)
Blunt Rochester	Demings	Khanna
Bonamici	DeSaulnier	Kihuen
Boyle, Brendan	Deutch	Kildee
F.	Dingell	Kilmer
Brady (PA)	Doggett	Kind
Brown (MD)	Doyle, Michael	Krishnamoorthi
Brownley (CA)	F.	Kuster (NH)
Bustos	Ellison	Lamb
Butterfield	Eshoo	Lance
Capuano	Español	Langevin
Carbajal	Esty (CT)	Larsen (WA)
Cárdenas	Evans	Lawrence
Carson (IN)	Fitzpatrick	Lawson (FL)
Cartwright	Foster	Lee
Castor (FL)	Frankel (FL)	Levin
Castro (TX)	Fudge	Lewis (GA)
Chu, Judy	Gabbard	Lieu, Ted
Ciçilline	Gallagher	Lipinski
Clark (MA)	Galleo	LoBiondo
Clarke (NY)	Garamendi	Loeb sack
Clay	Gomez	Lofgren
Cleaver	Gonzalez (TX)	Lowenthal
Clyburn	Green, Al	Lowe y
Coffman	Green, Gene	Lujan Grisham,
Cohen	Grijalva	M.
Collins (NY)	Grothman	Lujan, Ben Ray
Connolly	Gutiérrez	Maloney,
Cooper	Hanabusa	Carolyn B.
Costa	Hastings	Maloney, Sean
Courtney	Heck	Matsui
Crist	Higgins (NY)	McCollum
Crowley	Himes	McEachin
Cuellar	Hoyer	McGovern

McNerney
Meeks
Meng
Moore
Moulton
Murphy (FL)
Nadler
Napolitano
Nolan
Norcross
O'Halleran
O'Rourke
Pallone
Panetta
Pascarell
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peters
Peterson
Pingree
Pocan
Price (NC)
Quigley
Raskin

Abraham
Aderholt
Allen
Amodei
Arrington
Babin
Bacon
Banks (IN)
Barletta
Barr
Barton
Bergman
Biggs
Bilirakis
Bishop (MI)
Bishop (UT)
Black
Blackburn
Blum
Bost
Brat
Brooks (AL)
Brooks (IN)
Buchanan
Buck
Bucshon
Budd
Burgess
Byrne
Calvert
Carter (GA)
Carter (TX)
Chabot
Cole
Comer
Comstock
Conaway
Cook
Correa
Cramer
Crawford
Culberson
Curtis
Davidson
Davis, Rodney
Denham
DeSantis
DesJarlais
Diaz-Balart
Donovan
Duffy
Duncan (SC)
Duncan (TN)
Dunn
Emmer
Engel
Estes (KS)
Faso
Ferguson
Fleischmann
Flores
Fortenberry
Foxy
Frelinghuysen
Gaetz
Garrett
Gianforte
Gibbs
Gohmert
Goodlatte
Gosar
Gottheimer

NOES—217

Gowdy
Granger
Allen
Graves (GA)
Graves (LA)
Graves (MO)
Griffith
Guthrie
Handel
Harper
Harris
Hartzler
Hensarling
Herrera Beutler
Hice, Jody B.
Higgins (LA)
Hill
Holding
Hollingsworth
Hudson
Huizenga
Hunter
Hurd
Issa
Jenkins (KS)
Jenkins (WV)
Johnson (LA)
Johnson (OH)
Johnson, Sam
Jones
Jordan
Joyce (OH)
Katko
Kelly (MS)
Kelly (PA)
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kinzinger
Knight
Kustoff (TN)
Labrador
LaHood
LaMalfa
Lamborn
Larson (CT)
Latta
Lesko
Lewis (MN)
Long
Loudermilk
Love
Lucas
Luetkemeyer
Lynch
MacArthur
Marchant
Marino
Marshall
Massie
Mast
McCarthy
McCaull
McClintock
McHenry
McKinley
McMorris
Rodgers
McSally
Meadows
Messer
Mitchell
Moolenaar
Mooney (WV)

Woodall
Yoder

Yoho
Young (AK)

Young (IA)
Zeldin

NOT VOTING—15

Beatty	Huffman	Sewell (AL)
Brady (TX)	Kennedy	Shuster
Cheney	Noem	Tsongas
Collins (GA)	Palazzo	Walters, Mimi
Costello (PA)	Polis	Walz

□ 1120

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The Acting CHAIR (Mr. MARSHALL). There being no further amendments under House Resolution 923, the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. BYRNE) having assumed the chair, Mr. MARSHALL, Acting Chair of the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 5895) making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes, and, pursuant to House Resolution 923, he reported the bill, as amended by that resolution and by House Resolution 918, back to the House with sundry further amendments adopted in the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

Is a separate vote demanded on any further amendment reported from the Committee of the Whole? If not, the Chair will put them en gros.

The amendments were agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT

Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire. Mr. Speaker, I have a motion to recommit at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is the gentlewoman opposed to the bill?

Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire. I oppose the bill in its current form.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion to recommit.

The Clerk read as follows:

Ms. Kuster of New Hampshire moves to recommit the bill H.R. 5895 to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith, with the following amendment:

Page 135, line 12, after the dollar amount, insert “(reduced by \$10,200,000)”.

Page 131, line 9, after “September 30, 2020” insert “, and \$10,000,000 shall become available on October 1, 2018”.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentlewoman from New Hampshire is recognized for 5 minutes in support of her motion.

Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire. Mr. Speaker, this is the final amendment to the bill, which will not kill the bill nor send it back to committee. If

adopted, the bill will immediately proceed to final passage as amended.

As a member of the House Veterans' Affairs Committee, I have made robust funding for veterans' healthcare and benefits a top priority.

New Hampshire is one of only three States without a full-service VA Hospital, which creates unique challenges for Granite State veterans' access to care, particularly in the rural parts of my State.

Thankfully for the veterans of New Hampshire and the Nation, this Congress came together to pass historic bipartisan reform for the VA Community Care program, known as the Veterans Choice Program.

That program provided veterans a choice to see their preferred healthcare provider within their community. However, in the wake of the Phoenix VA scandal, the implementation of this program fragmented veterans' care, according to GAO reports, and even extended wait times for veterans using the Choice program.

Reform was much needed, and I was proud to cosponsor the bill known as the VA MISSION Act that would streamline healthcare and ensure continuity of care for those who have "borne the battle."

VA has some of the best healthcare in the country, healthcare that is specialized for the unique wounds of war, both seen and unseen, and healthcare that is provided by physicians experienced in understanding veterans. Integrating it with the rest of our Nation's healthcare is paramount to improving veterans' quality of life.

Yet, despite this historic act of Congress, the Trump administration has indicated that they would not only spurn the will of Congress, but undermine the very system of integrated healthcare that veterans have demanded. This last week, the administration has deemed it necessary to purposefully underfund portions of the reform because it did not meet their desired outcomes.

In other words, and let's be frank, the administration wanted to privatize the VA and was displeased that the Senate, the House, and a near unanimous group of veterans service organizations had worked together to create a common-sense, integrated healthcare system to ensure that veterans received the best care possible.

The possibility that the administration undermines the VA's Community Care program should not be taken lightly. And since the start of this administration, we have seen leaked memos that show the true intent to circumvent the will of Congress and, most notably, to slash homeless veterans' funding at a time when homelessness is on the rise.

My motion to recommit will provide additional funding to the VA medical services account, will ensure that VA hospitals will have the funding to help address the persistent provider shortages that stymie the delivery of qual-

ity medical healthcare for our veterans and will provide the resources they need to give veterans the healthcare they deserve.

It is unconscionable that this administration would purposefully pull the rug out from underneath our veterans by denying them access to convenient care and preferred medical providers. It is time we put partisan politics aside and come together to ensure that all veterans can go to the VA medical centers and receive the care they need.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to the motion to recommit.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from New Jersey is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Mr. Speaker, each year, it is our constitutional duty to provide funding for the Federal Government. We began that process on the House floor yesterday, considering three very important funding bills: Energy and Water, Legislative Branch, and Military Construction and Veterans' Affairs.

□ 1130

Mr. Chairman, these three bills focus on bipartisan values, caring for our veterans and military families, rebuilding our Armed Forces, strengthening our national security, and investing in critical and essential water and energy infrastructure. These are among the highest priorities as Congressmen and women. Please vote against the motion to recommit and support this bill.

I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the previous question is ordered on the motion to recommit.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to recommit.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 and clause 9 of rule XX, this 5-minute vote on the motion to recommit will be followed by 5-minutes votes on:

Passage of the bill; and

Agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, if ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 187, noes 225, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 256]

AYES—187

Adams	Bonamici	Cárdenas
Aguilar	Boyle, Brendan	Carson (IN)
Barragán	F.	Cartwright
Bass	Brady (PA)	Castor (FL)
Bera	Brown (MD)	Castro (TX)
Beyer	Brownley (CA)	Chu, Judy
Bishop (GA)	Bustos	Cicilline
Blum	Butterfield	Clark (MA)
Blumenauer	Capuano	Clarke (NY)
Blunt Rochester	Carbajal	Clay

Cleaver	Johnson, E. B.	Payne
Clyburn	Jones	Pelosi
Cohen	Kaptur	Perlmutter
Connolly	Keating	Peters
Cooper	Kelly (IL)	Peterson
Correa	Khanna	Pingree
Courtney	Kihuen	Pocan
Crist	Kildee	Price (NC)
Crowley	Kilmer	Quigley
Cuellar	Kind	Raskin
Cummings	Krishnamoorthi	Rice (NY)
Davis (CA)	Kuster (NH)	Richmond
Davis, Danny	Lamb	Rosen
DeFazio	Langevin	Roybal-Allard
DeGette	Larsen (WA)	Ruiz
Delaney	Larson (CT)	Ruppersberger
DeLauro	Lawrence	Rush
DelBene	Lawson (FL)	Ryan (OH)
Demings	Lee	Sánchez
DeSaulnier	Levin	Sarbanes
Deutch	Lewis (GA)	Schakowsky
Dingell	Lieu, Ted	Schiff
Doggett	Lipinski	Schneider
Doyle, Michael	Loeb sack	Schrader
F.	Lofgren	Scott (VA)
Ellison	Lowenthal	Scott, David
Engel	Lowe y	Serrano
Eshoo	Lujan Grisham,	Shea-Porter
Espallat	M.	Sherman
Esty (CT)	Luján, Ben Ray	Sinema
Evans	Lynch	Sires
Foster	Maloney,	Smith (WA)
Frankel (FL)	Carolyn B.	Soto
Fudge	Maloney, Sean	Speier
Gabbard	Matsui	Suozi
Gallego	McCollum	Swalwell (CA)
Garamendi	McEachin	Takano
Gomez	McGovern	Thompson (CA)
Gonzalez (TX)	McNerney	Thompson (MS)
Gottheimer	Meeks	Titus
Green, Al	Meng	Tonko
Green, Gene	Moore	Torres
Grijalva	Moulton	Vargas
Gutiérrez	Murphy (FL)	Veasey
Hanabusa	Nadler	Vela
Hastings	Napolitano	Velázquez
Heck	Neal	Visclosky
Higgins (NY)	Nolan	Wasserman
Himes	Norcross	Schultz
Hoyer	O'Halleran	Waters, Maxine
Jackson Lee	O'Rourke	Watson Coleman
Jayapal	Pallone	Welch
Jeffries	Panetta	Wilson (FL)
Johnson (GA)	Pascrell	Yarmuth

NOES—225

Abraham	Culberson	Hartzler
Aderholt	Curbelo (FL)	Hensarling
Allen	Curtis	Herrera Beutler
Amash	Davidson	Hice, Jody B.
Amodei	Davis, Rodney	Higgins (LA)
Arrington	Denham	Hill
Babin	DeSantis	Holding
Bacon	DesJarlais	Hollingsworth
Banks (IN)	Diaz-Balart	Hudson
Barletta	Donovan	Huizenga
Barr	Duffy	Hultgren
Barton	Duncan (SC)	Hunter
Bergman	Duncan (TN)	Hurd
Biggs	Dunn	Issa
Bilirakis	Emmer	Jenkins (KS)
Bishop (MI)	Estes (KS)	Jenkins (WV)
Bishop (UT)	Faso	Johnson (LA)
Black	Ferguson	Johnson (OH)
Blackburn	Fitzpatrick	Johnson, Sam
Bost	Fleischmann	Jordan
Brat	Flores	Joyce (OH)
Brooks (AL)	Fortenberry	Katko
Brooks (IN)	Fox	Kelly (MS)
Buchanan	Frelinghuysen	Kelly (PA)
Buck	Gaetz	King (IA)
Bucshon	Gallagher	King (NY)
Budd	Garrett	Kinzinger
Burgess	Gianforte	Knight
Byrne	Gibbs	Kustoff (TN)
Calvert	Gohmert	Labrador
Carter (GA)	Goodlatte	LaHood
Carter (TX)	Gosar	LaMalfa
Chabot	Gowdy	Lamborn
Coffman	Granger	Lance
Cole	Graves (GA)	Latta
Collins (GA)	Graves (LA)	Lesko
Collins (NY)	Graves (MO)	Lewis (MN)
Comer	Griffith	LoBiondo
Comstock	Grothman	Long
Conaway	Guthrie	Loudermilk
Cook	Handel	Love
Cramer	Harper	Lucas
Crawford	Harris	Luetkemeyer

MacArthur	Reichert	Smucker	Huizenga	McKinley	Russell	Sarbanes	Smith (WA)	Veasey
Marchant	Renacci	Stefanik	Hultgren	McMorris	Rutherford	Schakowsky	Soto	Velázquez
Marino	Rice (SC)	Stewart	Hunter	Rodgers	Scalise	Schiff	Speler	Visclosky
Marshall	Roby	Stivers	Hurd	McSally	Schrader	Schneider	Suoizzi	Wasserman
Massie	Roe (TN)	Taylor	Issa	Meadows	Scott, Austin	Schweikert	Swalwell (CA)	Schultz
Mast	Rogers (AL)	Tenney	Jenkins (KS)	Messer	Sessions	Scott (VA)	Takano	Waters, Maxine
McCarthy	Rogers (KY)	Thompson (PA)	Jenkins (WV)	Mitchell	Shimkus	Scott, David	Thompson (CA)	Watson Coleman
McCaul	Rohrabacher	Thornberry	Johnson (LA)	Moolenaar	Shuster	Sensenbrenner	Thompson (MS)	Welch
McClintock	Rokita	Tipton	Johnson (OH)	Mooney (WV)	Simpson	Serrano	Titus	Wilson (FL)
McHenry	Rooney, Francis	Trott	Johnson, Sam	Mullin	Sinema	Shea-Porter	Tonko	Yarmuth
McKinley	Rooney, Thomas	Turner	Joyce (OH)	Murphy (FL)	Smith (MO)	Sherman	Torres	
McMorris	J.	Upton	Katko	Newhouse	Smith (NE)	Sires	Vargas	
Rodgers	Ros-Lehtinen	Valadao	Keating	Norman	Smith (NJ)			
Meadows	Roskam	Wagner	Kelly (MS)	Nunes	Smith (TX)			
Messer	Ross	Walberg	Kelly (PA)	O'Halleran	Smucker	Beatty	Kennedy	Tsongas
Mitchell	Rothfus	Walden	King (IA)	O'Rourke	Stefanik	Brady (TX)	Noem	Walters, Mimi
Moolenaar	Rouzer	Walker	King (NY)	Olson	Stewart	Cheney	Palazzo	Walz
Mooney (WV)	Royce (CA)	Walorski	Kinzinger	Palmer	Stivers	Costello (PA)	Polis	
Mullin	Russell	Weber (TX)	Knight	Paulsen	Taylor	Huffman	Sewell (AL)	
Newhouse	Rutherford	Webster (FL)	Kuster (NH)	Pearce	Tenney			
Norman	Sanford	Wenstrup	Kustoff (TN)	Peters	Thompson (PA)			
Nunes	Scalise	Westerman	LaHood	Peterson	Thornberry			
Olson	Schweikert	Williams	LaMalfa	Pittenger	Tipton			
Palmer	Scott, Austin	Wilson (SC)	Lamb	Poe (TX)	Trott			
Paulsen	Sensenbrenner	Wittman	Lamborn	Poliquin	Turner			
Pearce	Sessions	Womack	Lance	Posey	Upton			
Perry	Shimkus	Woodall	Larsen (WA)	Ratcliffe	Valadao			
Pittenger	Shuster	Yoder	Latta	Reed	Vela			
Poe (TX)	Simpson	Yoho	Lawson (FL)	Reichert	Wagner			
Poliquin	Smith (MO)	Young (AK)	Lesko	Renacci	Walberg			
Posey	Smith (NE)	Young (IA)	Lewis (MN)	Rice (SC)	Walden			
Ratcliffe	Smith (NJ)	Zeldin	LoBiondo	Roby	Walker			
Reed	Smith (TX)		Loeb sack	Roe (TN)	Walorski			
			Long	Rogers (AL)	Weber (TX)			
			Loudermilk	Rogers (KY)	Webster (FL)			
			Love	Rohrabacher	Wenstrup			
			Lucas	Rokita	Westerman			
			Luettkemeyer	Rooney, Francis	Williams			
			Lynch	Rooney, Thomas	Wilson (SC)			
			MacArthur	J.	Wittman			
			Marchant	Ros-Lehtinen	Womack			
			Marino	Roskam	Woodall			
			Marshall	Ross	Yoder			
			Mast	Rothfus	Yoho			
			McCarthy	Rouzer	Young (AK)			
			McCaul	Royce (CA)	Young (IA)			
			McHenry	Ruiz	Zeldin			

NOT VOTING—15

Beatty	Huffman	Polis
Brady (TX)	Kennedy	Sewell (AL)
Cheney	McSally	Tsongas
Costa	Noem	Walters, Mimi
Costello (PA)	Palazzo	Walz

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

□ 1136

So the motion to recommit was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

Under clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 235, nays 179, not voting 13, as follows:

[Roll No. 257]

YEAS—235

Abraham	Carter (TX)	Flores
Aderholt	Chabot	Fortenberry
Allen	Coffman	Foxx
Amodeli	Cole	Frelinghuysen
Arrington	Collins (GA)	Gaetz
Babin	Collins (NY)	Gallagher
Bacon	Comer	Garamendi
Banks (IN)	Comstock	Garrett
Barletta	Conaway	Gianforte
Barr	Cook	Gibbs
Barton	Costa	Gohmert
Bera	Cramer	Goodlatte
Bergman	Crawford	Gottheimer
Bilirakis	Crist	Gowdy
Bishop (MI)	Culberson	Granger
Bishop (UT)	Curbelo (FL)	Graves (GA)
Black	Curtis	Graves (LA)
Blackburn	Davis, Rodney	Graves (MO)
Blum	Denham	Griffith
Bost	DeSantis	Grothman
Brat	DesJarlais	Guthrie
Brooks (IN)	Diaz-Balart	Handel
Brownley (CA)	Donovan	Harper
Buchanan	Duffy	Harris
Buck	Duncan (SC)	Hartzler
Bucshon	Dunn	Hensarling
Budd	Emmer	Herrera Beutler
Burgess	Estes (KS)	Hice, Jody B.
Byrne	Faso	Higgins (LA)
Calvert	Ferguson	Hill
Carbajal	Fitzpatrick	Holding
Carter (GA)	Fleischmann	Hudson

Adams	Dingell	Levin
Aguilar	Doggett	Lewis (GA)
Amash	Doyle, Michael	Lieu, Ted
Barragán	F.	Lipinski
Bass	Duncan (TN)	Lofgren
Beyer	Ellison	Lowenthal
Biggs	Engel	Lowe
Bishop (GA)	Eshoo	Lujan Grisham,
Blumenauer	Españat	M.
Blunt	Esty (CT)	Luján, Ben Ray
Bonamici	Evans	Maloney,
Boyle, Brendan	Foster	Carolyn B.
F.	Frankel (FL)	Maloney, Sean
Brady (PA)	Fudge	Massie
Brooks (AL)	Gabbard	Matsui
Brown (MD)	Gallego	McClintock
Bustos	Gomez	McCollum
Butterfield	Gonzalez (TX)	McEachin
Capuano	Gosar	McGovern
Cárdenas	Green, Al	McNerney
Carson (IN)	Green, Gene	Meeks
Cartwright	Grijalva	Meng
Castor (FL)	Gutiérrez	Moore
Castro (TX)	Hanabusa	Moulton
Chu, Judy	Hastings	Nadler
Ciavarella	Heck	Napolitano
Clark (MA)	Higgins (NY)	Neal
Clarke (NY)	Himes	Nolan
Clay	Hollingsworth	Norcross
Cleaver	Hoyer	Pallone
Clyburn	Jackson Lee	Panetta
Cohen	Jayapal	Pascarell
Connolly	Jeffries	Payne
Cooper	Johnson (GA)	Pelosi
Correa	Johnson, E. B.	Perlmutter
Courtney	Jones	Perry
Crowley	Jordan	Pingree
Cuellar	Kaptur	Pocan
Cummings	Kelly (IL)	Price (NC)
Davidson	Khanna	Quigley
Davis (CA)	Kihuen	Raskin
Davis, Danny	Kildee	Rice (NY)
DeFazio	Kilmer	Richmond
DeGette	Kind	Rosen
Delaney	Krishnamoorthi	Roybal-Allard
DeLauro	Labrador	Ruppersberger
DeBene	Langevin	Rush
Demings	Larson (CT)	Ryan (OH)
DeSaulnier	Lawrence	Sánchez
Deutch	Lee	Sanford

NAYS—179

NOT VOTING—13

Beatty	Kennedy	Tsongas
Brady (TX)	Noem	Walters, Mimi
Cheney	Palazzo	Walz
Costello (PA)	Polis	
Huffman	Sewell (AL)	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

□ 1143

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated against:

Mr. POLIS. Mr. Speaker, I was absent for the vote on passage of H.R. 5895 (rollcall No. 257), but had I been present, I would have voted “no” on final passage.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BRADY of Texas. Mr. Speaker, due to an unavoidable scheduling conflict, I was unable to cast my votes on time.

Had I been present, I would have voted “Yea” on rollcall No. 253, “Yea” on rollcall No. 254, “Nay” on rollcall No. 255, “Nay” on rollcall No. 256, and “Yea” on rollcall No. 257.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. HUFFMAN. Mr. Speaker, on the day of June 8th, 2018, I was unavoidably detained and as a result, I was absent for rollcall votes 254–257.

Had I been present for the rollcall vote 254, on Agreeing to the Amendment, I would have voted “no.”

Had I been present for the rollcall vote 255, on Agreeing to the Amendment, I would have voted “aye.”

Had I been present for the rollcall vote 256, on motion to recommit with instructions, I would have voted “aye.”

Had I been present for the rollcall vote 257, on passage of H.R. 5895, I would have voted “no.”

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker’s approval of the Journal, which the Chair will put de novo.

The question is on the Speaker’s approval of the Journal.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

REPORT ON HOUSE RESOLUTION 898 DIRECTING SECRETARY OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO TRANSMIT CERTAIN DOCUMENTS

Mr. KATKO, from the Committee on Homeland Security, submitted an adverse privileged report (Rept. No. 115–